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1991 Chamber of Commerce banquet

Cuevas named Chamber's Outstanding Citizen

BY TRACI BONNEY
AND T.H. TOUPS

Sea Coast Echo publisher Ellis Cuevas was named the county's Outstanding Citizen of 1991 Friday by the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce.

After an opening address, Chamber president Basil Kennedy presented several awards, including Outstanding Citizen. In his address, Kennedy mentioned Chamber accomplishments in 1991 and talked about future goals.

"Probably the most important thing I hope we can do in 1992 is to have a revitalization of the committee life within the Chamber," he said. Explaining that the Chamber has been doing much of its work with a relatively small group of people, he expressed a desire to see all Chamber members involved in some activity.

Kennedy praised the Chamber's new connections with the Bay St. Louis Business Association and the Diamondhead Business and Professional Association.

"I think it is very productive for the three organizations to do that and come up with a method of joint membership," he said. "We have arranged to have a

Chamber person present at well over 50 percent of the meetings of these organizations, so that we can keep up with what they are doing and offer our assistance in helping them with their projects."

Other major changes in the Chamber during the past year included moving to new offices in Colonial Plaza, and the employment of Cindy Vernon as

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Ellis Cuevas and Basil Kennedy

Carmichael discusses planned Amtrak shuttle

BY T.H. TOUPS

The Hancock County Chamber of Commerce's annual banquet Friday evening at the Diamondhead Country Club featured federal railroad administrator Gil Carmichael as keynote speaker.

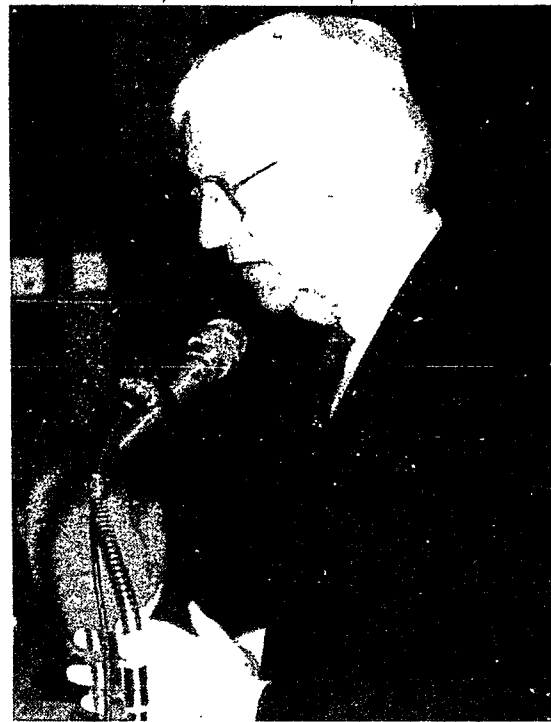
After an opening address by Chamber president Basil Kennedy and the dinner, Rep. Gene Taylor introduced Carmichael, a Meridian native who is widely considered to be a likely successor to Department of Transportation Secretary Sam Skinner, recently selected as President Bush's new chief of staff.

Carmichael discussed the role of rail service in the national transportation grid and how it could affect the economy of southern Mississippi.

"Railroads are the only mode of transportation not dependent on oil or gas," he said, explaining that the United States is self-sufficient in electricity and rail lines can be electrified as conventional fuels become more expensive in the future.

Plans are currently underway to increase Amtrak passenger service along the Coast, as both commuter transportation and a tourist attraction. Proposed changes include the extension of the Sunset Limited Los Angeles-to-New Orleans train line to Miami.

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Gil Carmichael

Bay native retells Pearl Harbor story

BY TRACI BONNEY

Yesterday, December 7, 1941 — a date which will live in infamy — The United States of America was suddenly and deliberately attacked by naval and air forces of the Empire of Japan.

—Franklin Delano Roosevelt's War Message to Congress

December 7, 1941 — a date that would live in infamy to then-President Roosevelt and millions of U.S. citizens; a date of fire and smoke, running and refuge, frustration and confusion for Leon Louis Perre and others in Pearl Harbor.

Bay St. Louis native Perre, then 22 and serving with the Navy in Hawaii aboard the USS West Virginia, started that Sunday in a routine enough manner — boat duty.

He and two crew members were in a small boat between the West Virginia and the USS Tennessee, which were tied up together with the West Virginia outboard. Just before colors —



Leon Perre in 1941

and the beginning of the Japanese attack — the three-man crew was preparing to ready the gangway so returning liberty and church parties could board the ships.

Perre recounted: "In the first attack, two torpedoes hit the

West Virginia. She started listing to port side and sinking.

"Mooring lines started parting; mooring lines and life lines started falling into our boat. We cleared the boat of debris and lines, backed out, went around and made the gangway.

"When we got to the gangway, there was another boat alongside it, but no crew in it. A sailor was stuck in a porthole in the ship; he had evidently tried to climb back inside. I shoved him through.

"At that time, someone topside yelled down to us to move out because the torpedo planes were coming in again.

"Just as we left the gangway, more planes came in. I saw them come in and drop their torpedoes; they passed close over our boat. They were also strafing with machine guns.

"The other crew members and I called 'Hit the drink!' and we all dove over into the water. I

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Hydrogen chloride cloud passes over Bay Thursday

BY JACQUI COCHRAN

Early Thursday morning the Bay St. Louis bridge was closed to traffic as a hydrogen chloride gas cloud made its way over the Mississippi Sound.

Garry E. Ruff, DuPont DeLisle senior supervisor of safety, health and environment, reported a pressure buildup in the lines at the plant caused a leak of about 1,000 pounds of hydrogen chloride gas to escape into the atmosphere.

"The concentration was very low," he stated, "less than one part per million."

Hydrogen chloride forms hydrochloric acid when mixed with water.

Ruff said that during a routine system shutdown, a higher than usual pressure buildup caused the emergency rupture disk to open. The gas passed through a water scrubbing system, which reduced the amount that escaped through the exhaust stack.

A large white gas cloud reportedly formed and moved slowly over the bay toward the sound.

The gas began escaping at 12:30 a.m. Thursday. The Hancock County Sheriff Department was notified at 1:30 a.m.

Ruff said the wind was blowing about three miles per hour. DuPont is about three miles from the bridge, which reduced

the urgency in closing the bridge.

The sheriff's department reported to have closed the bridge for about 15 minutes.

Ruff said two or three people were out on the bridge fishing when the cloud approached, and one person reported experiencing some eye irritation.

"The cloud was not very dangerous," continued Ruff, "irritating, but not immediately dangerous. We are presently investigating the cause for the pressure buildup."

The hydrogen chloride leak was the plant's first. There were two titanium tetrachloride leaks this year and two in 1990.



Prehistoric Christmas

Children had a chance to ride a train through a Noel playland complete with stocking-capped dinosaurs Friday night during Pass Christian's Christmas in the Pass VII. (Echo staff photo by Traci Bonney)

Governor's task force includes Asper, Maness

BY JACQUI COCHRAN

Dr. Vernon L. Asper of Diamondhead and Jim Maness of Clermont Harbor have been named to Governor-elect Kirk Fordice's environmental task force.

The two men will work with 27 others to designate what they consider problem areas in environmental state regulatory departments and make recommendations toward improvements.

Asper said, "We have been charged with looking at which issues need to be identified. Our particular goal, as stated by chairman Senator Dick Hall, is to make recommendations to help ensure environmental protection."

Maness reported, "Governor-elect Fordice is concerned with cutting the cost of state govern-

ment. He is looking for ways to incorporate better management, along with ways to make these agencies self-supporting.

"During our first meeting, we discussed instituting a salt water license for fishing. People do not object to paying, they just want to know that the money does not disappear into the black hole of general funds. They want to know a percentage is dedicated to specific things."

Asper and Maness are on the Marine Resources, Wildlife and Parks subcommittee of the task force.

Asper has been named as a co-chairman, which Maness believes to be a benefit for the subcommittee. Asper, who holds a PhD in oceanography, is an assistant professor for the Center for Marine Sciences at

the University of Southern Mississippi.

"Asper's expertise in the field will help the subcommittee in making informed decisions," Maness added.

Asper, claiming to have no personal agenda at this time, stated, "I hope to offer whatever expertise I can."

Maness said that aside from identification of problems in Marine, Fisheries and Wildlife areas, he would like to see some attention given to the state's parks.

"I was surprised to find out that there has been no capital expenditure on parks in this state since 1972."

The Environmental Task Force meets again December 13 at the University of Southern Mississippi.

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WEEK OF 12-8-91

DAY	HIGH	LOW	DAY	HIGH	LOW
Sun.	12:11 a.	12:04 p.	Fri.	2:20 a.	1:08 p.
Mon.	12:49 a.	12:43 p.		11:56 p.	
Tues.	1:24 a.	1:12 p.	Sat.	8:26 p.	12:10 p.
Wed.	1:51 a.	1:37 p.	Sun.	7:46 p.	8:40 a.
Thurs.	2:12 a.	1:38 p.			

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BERTRAM A. RIBBEY
JOHN E. SCHOTT
'SONNY' LEE SMITH
GUSSIE M. WILLIAMSON

RUSSELL ALEXANDER
 Russell Alexander, 59, of Bay St. Louis died Friday, December 6, 1991, in Bay St. Louis. Arrangements are incomplete at J.T. Hall Funeral Home in Gulfport.

RICHARD EILENBERGER SR.
 Richard Thomas Eilenberger Sr., 74, of Pass Christian died Tuesday, December 3, 1991, in Pass Christian.

Mr. Eilenberger was a native of Stroudsburg, Pa., and had lived in Pass Christian for a year. He was a first sergeant in the Army; a veteran of World War II and a member of the Orange Grove Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4526. He retired from U.S. Steel, where he worked in plant protection. Mr. Eilenberger was associated with the Assembly of God Church.

Survivors include his wife, Elsie Eilenberger of Pass Christian; two sons, Richard T. Eilenberger of Chicago and Steven L. Eilenberger of Pass Christian; one sister, Harriet Mader of Stroudsburg; one brother, Moss Eilenberger of Stroudsburg; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday at the Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home chapel in Gulfport. Burial followed in the Biloxi National Cemetery.

ADOLPH P. FAVRE JR.
 Adolph P. Favre Jr., 69, of Kiln died Saturday, November 30, 1991, in Kiln.

Mr. Favre was a native of Kiln. He was a longtime employee of Himel's Auto Parts in Bay St. Louis.

Survivors include a brother, Joseph Eugene Favre of Orlando, Fla.

Funeral services were Friday

at the Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis. Burial followed at Bayou Coco Cemetery in Kiln.

The family prefers donations to a favorite charity.

MAYME E. HOLLAND
 Mayme E. Holland, 102, of Bay St. Louis died Monday, December 2, 1991, in Gulfport.

Miss Holland was a member of Valena C. Jones United Methodist Church in Bay St. Louis.

She was cared for by The Rev. Harry C. Tartt of Gulfport.

Funeral services were Friday at Valena C. Jones United Methodist Church. Burial was Saturday at Pine Ridge Gardens Cemetery in Gulfport.

J.T. Hall Funeral Home in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

DAN M. MURPHY
 Dan M. Murphy, 34, of Hickory, N.C., died Saturday, December 7, 1991, in Diamondhead.

He was sent from Edmond Fahey Funeral Home to Hickory Funeral Home in Hickory for services and burial.

BERTRAM A. RIBBEY
 Bertram A. Ribbey, 71, of Waveland died Tuesday, December 3, 1991, in Biloxi.

Mr. Ribbey served in the Air Force during World War II before receiving a medical discharge. He then served aboard numerous cargo vessels carrying supplies and munitions to the armed services during the remainder of World War II, Korea and Vietnam.

Following World War II, Mr. Ribbey graduated from Louisiana State University. He later appeared in several Hollywood movies, plays and commercials on network television under the name Burt Masters. He had worked as a police officer in Kemah, Texas, and later retired as chief of police of Clear Lakes Shores, Texas.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Geraldine M. Ribbey of Waveland; two sons, Brian H. Ribbey of Los Angeles and Alan Ribbey of New York, N.Y.; one daughter, Pamela Ribbey of Los Angeles; two sisters, Gloria Cal-

lahan of Alexandria, La., and Dorothy Elwell of Oakdale, La.; and one grandson.

Funeral services were Friday at the Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home chapel in Biloxi. Burial followed in the Biloxi National Cemetery.

JOHN E. SCHOTT
 John E. Schott, 80, of Bay St. Louis died Saturday, December 7, 1991, in Biloxi.

A native of Lawton, Okla., he was a longtime resident of Bay St. Louis. He was an Army veteran and a retired insurance adjuster. He was a member of Christ Episcopal Church and of the Blue Goose International Insurance Fraternity.

He was preceded by his wife Pat, who died November 29.

Survivors include one stepson, Marvin Allen Ross Jr. of Bay St. Louis; one stepdaughter, Barbara Peterson of Bay St. Louis; two brothers, Joseph E. Schott of Arlington, Texas, and Donald A. Schott of Lawton; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services are Tuesday, 11 a.m., at Christ Episcopal Church, where friends may call after 10 a.m. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

'SONNY' LEE SMITH
 Cedric "Sonny" Lee Smith,

42, of Catahoula died Monday, December 2, 1991, in Bradford, Texas.

A native of Picayune, he was a member of Parker's Chapel Baptist Church in Cybus.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Reneviel Smith; a sister, Mrs. Shirley Robinson; and a brother, Clarence "Pete" Smith, all of Catahoula.

Services were Saturday at Parker's Chapel Baptist Church, with burial in the Parker's Chapel Cemetery. Baylous Funeral Home in Picayune was in charge of arrangements.

GUSSIE M. WILLIAMSON
 Gussie M. Williamson, 89, of DeLisle died Tuesday, December 3, 1991, in Gulfport.

Mrs. Williamson was a native of Crawfordville, Ark., and had lived in Kansas City, Kan., and Memphis, Tenn., before moving to Pass Christian.

Survivors include a niece, Evelyn Landry of DeLisle.

Funeral services were Friday at Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church in Pass Christian. Burial followed at Baptist Cemetery in Pass Christian.

Lockett's Mortuary in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

Women's Aglow to meet

The Women's Aglow Fellowship, an interdenominational women's Christian organization with worldwide chapters, will meet Tuesday, Dec. 10, at the Waveland Resort Inn on Hwy. 90.

A Dutch treat dinner will start at 6 p.m. The meeting will begin at 7. Reservations are required by noon Monday for the dinner.

Guest speaker will be Deborah Heath from McComb. A pastor's wife and homeschooling mother of four, she has ministered for many years in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi.

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For reservations, call Julie Howell at 467-0030 or Edith Palmer at 467-7507 after 6 p.m.

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I know that you are pleased to know that even in your death, "all things work for good, to those who love the Lord."

With Love,
 Clifton Moon

In Memoriam

In Loving Memory of
LOLA L. MOON

On Dec. 8, 1990 you graduated from this earth, but you left those of us who will always love you behind.

Death is something those left behind relive over and over. There are always regrets, mine is that I did not tell you often enough that I loved and appreciated you.

To those of you reading this, you never know when someone you love will leave this world suddenly.

There is not always time to prepare, so please make sure they always know they are loved by you. Never leave those three important words unsaid.

I love you, Mama and Daddy. Merry Christmas to all. Make this the best ever.

Daddy, I thank God every day you are still here. I love you.
 Vickie

Riemann plans Remembrance Tree service

The Riemann Funeral Home will have its second annual Tree of Remembrance Celebration on Thursday, Dec. 12. Services will be from 4:30 to 6 p.m., 229 Hwy. 90 East, Bay St. Louis.

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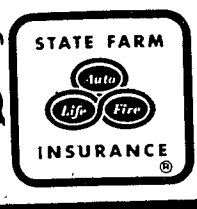
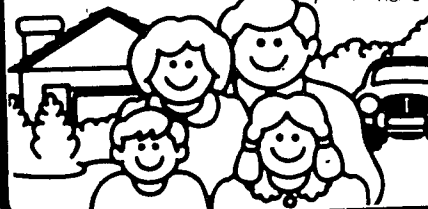
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Pearl Harbor

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swam around the stern of the USS Maryland and another boat that was ahead of us.

"I stayed in the water all during the first raid. The oil was getting pretty thick in the water by that time.

"Then I swam out to a pipeline running along Naval Air Station Ford Island. Where I got out of the water, on the beach there was some naval housing. A woman nearby came over yelling that her husband was on one of the battleships."

Just then, a nearby explosion knocked Perre unconscious. When he awoke, the woman was gone and no one else was nearby.

"When I came to my senses, I saw the USS Nevada passing by

where I stood. One thing I'll never forget is that her under-way colors were flying upside down," a signal that the ship was in distress.

"Because she was underway, the planes were concentrating on her. They came out of their dive and passed right over my head. They were so close I could see the pilots looking down.

"I got frustrated because I couldn't do nothing — all that training and I couldn't help — so I started picking up sticks and rocks and throwing them at the planes."

Perre also noticed that two Japanese planes had been downed — one fell in the harbor and the other crashed on the airfield.

"A real close buddy of mine, Ray Glover, ran up to me and grabbed me, and we headed for cover at the end of the runways. During a break in the firing, Glover saw a station wagon nearby. It was a plane guide vehicle, a 'follow-me wagon' flying two checkered flags.

"We ran over and jumped in. The keys were still there, so we rode to the hangars. When we got inside the hangar, we were put to work belting ammunition.

"Shortly afterward, we had to abandon the hangars because the planes starting firing on them."

Perre and other sailors found their way to the top of a building, where they joined a

machine gun crew.

"We stayed there 'til daylight. That was hectic, just firing and firing all night — at nothing. With all the confusion, everybody was shooting. Any time one gun went off, they all went off."

The next day, Perre went to the boat landing and caught a ride back to the West Virginia, which had already settled on her port side. Perre went to where his division was located to see if anyone else were still below decks or if he could salvage his locker.

"It was all flooded below, so I couldn't go down there to get anything. I was advised at that time to return to Ford Island.

"When I got back, I heard the word being passed around that the Navy Exchange was being opened up and we could go get fresh clothes."

After finding food and clean clothing, Perre caught a shuttle ferry back to the Navy shipyard. All surviving battleship sailors were ordered to the baseball field, where they were reassigned to fill out the crews of those ships still able to operate.

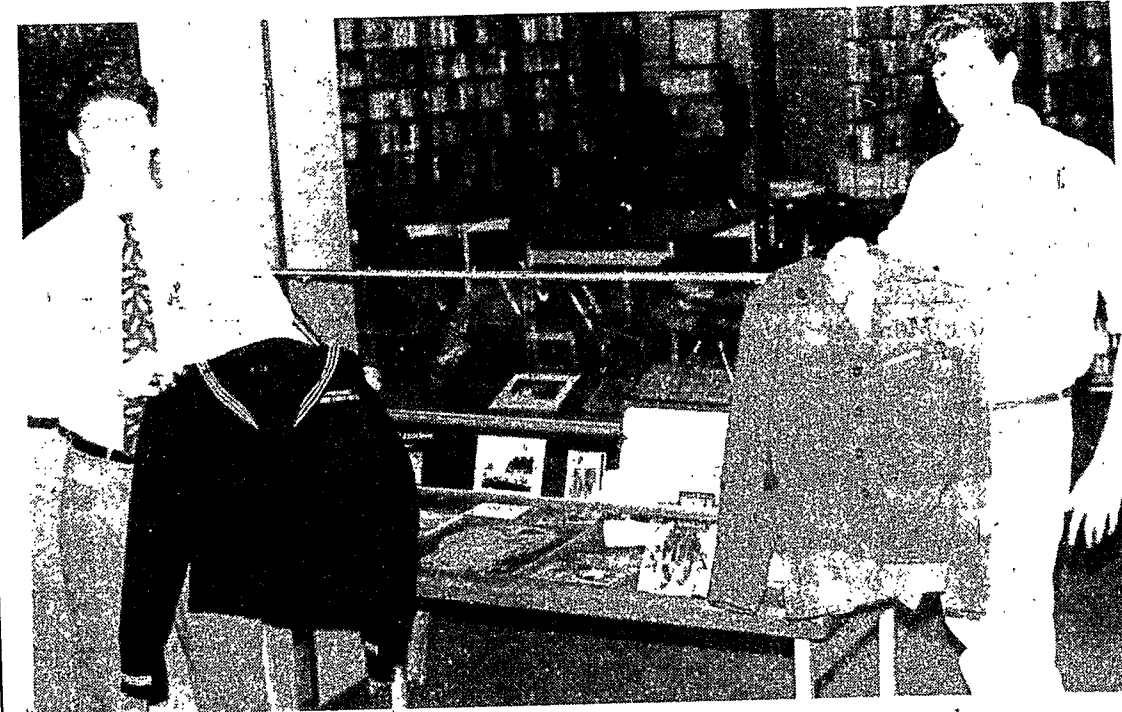
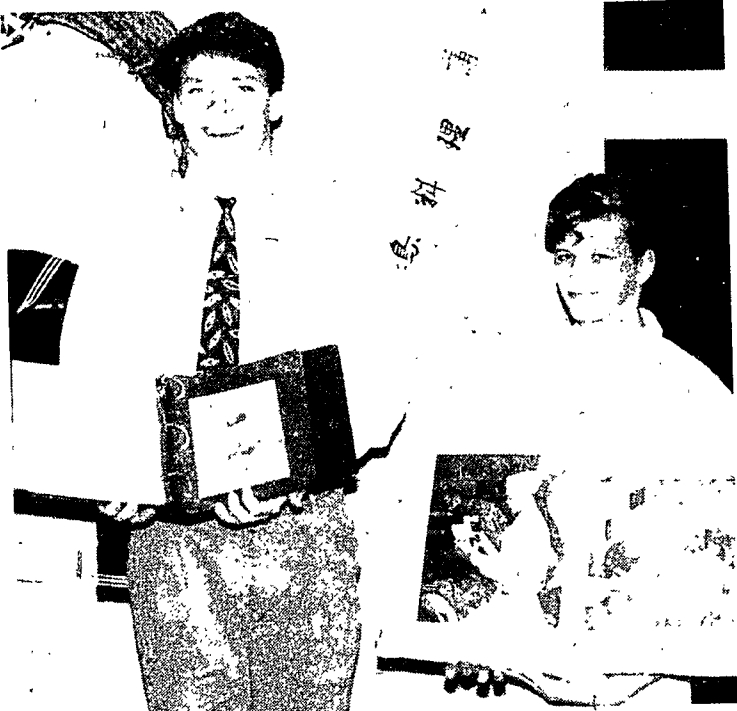
Perre was assigned to the USS San Francisco, a heavy cruiser whose crew became one of the most distinguished in the war by earning a Presidential Unit Citation along with numerous battle stars.

Meanwhile, his family in Bay St. Louis had received a telegram stating that their son was missing. However, postcards and a letter from him, postmarked December 9 and 10 and telling them he was all right, relieved their fears.

Perre spent three years on the San Francisco before leaving active military service and continuing to work with the military as a civilian.

World War II remembered

In commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the bombing of Pearl Harbor, St. Stanislaus' Kleinpetter-Gibbins Memorial Library is exhibiting memorabilia of the time from the University of Mississippi's Traveling Trunk Show. In the left photo, SSC student Michael Davidge (left) of Baton Rouge holds military documents while Robbie Niolet of Pass Christian holds illustrations of 1944 Norman Rockwell magazine covers. Below, Davidge and Niolet hold American uniforms worn in service during World War II while standing in front of a display case of related artifacts. (Echo staff photo by Jacqui Cochran)



Kiln VFW member named to national post

Cleo Dunhurst, a member of VFW Post 6285 in Kiln has been appointed by VFW Commander-in-Chief Robert E. Wallace to serve as a special aide-de-camp for 1991-92. Dunhurst is a resident of Kiln.

In making the appointment, Wallace said, "In every organization there are those who do what is required—and then go on to do even more.

"These individuals are true leaders, and in the VFW we recognize their special talent with an appointment as special aide-

de-camp."

Appointment to the position recognizes outstanding services to VFW posts and/or VFW department (state), above and beyond the call of duty. These VFW members are appointed on the recommendation of the department commander.

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"QUOTABLE QUOTES"

By Ellis C. Cuevas

Once again The Sea Coast Echo has made special arrangements with the Post Office to receive letters to Santa. We will forward the requests to the North Pole, after printing them in the newspaper.

Boys and girls may want to remind Santa with a letter of their wants for Christmas.

I know he has been busy getting ready for his annual run from the North Pole on Christmas Eve.

I will be looking forward to publishing letters to Santa.

Yesterday was the 50th anniversary of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor.

It sounds like a very long time ago, yet we have living among us several who were at Pearl Harbor in 1941.

World War II has been described many times as the 'War of Wars', and thousands of Hancock Countians fought for our freedoms.

Many left their native soil, never to return to it again.

I have had the privilege of talking to many of the veterans and even interviewing a few to tell their stories. I had the honor of speaking with two Pearl Harbor survivors this week.

We owe a great debt to those who fought the battles over the years for our freedoms.

We must always remember the men and women in uniform, even during peace time, their being in uniform enforces peace.

Residents and visitors do not want to forget the Festival of Lights scheduled for tonight beginning at 5 p.m. on Coleman Avenue.

A lot of treats are in store for those visiting the City of Waveland.

While on festivities, members and guests do not want to forget the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce's Christmas After Hours open house from 5 to 7 p.m. on Monday.

The chamber is located in the Colonial Plaza next to the Peoples Bank on Highway 90 near Carroll Avenue.

This will be a time for a cup of cheer and some good friendly conversations.

Admission is \$3 plus a business card.



FROM THE SENATE

By Senator Trent Lott

Dealing with health care

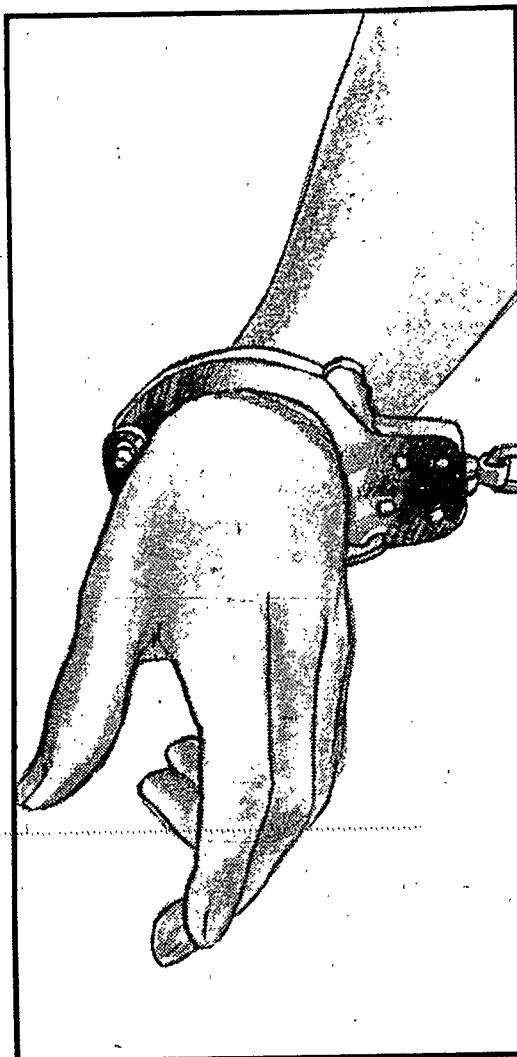
A bill which I am co-sponsoring addresses many of the problems we have in Mississippi with health care.

While looking at this issue, however, there are some rules we need to follow. We don't want massive national programs with unlimited national controls and costs that the federal government picks up. What we do need is a way to encourage savings, to involve the private sector with new and innovative approaches and to offer tax credits.

As a member of the bipartisan Senate Rural Health Care Caucus and the Senate Republican Task Force on Health Care, we have looked at ways to untangle and mend the

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YOURS FOR THE TAKING



Shoplifters get more than they bargain for.



WASHINGTON REPORT

By Senator Thad Cochran

Senators host governor-elect Fordice in Washington

U.S. Senators Thad Cochran and Trent Lott hosted a Capitol Hill reception recently for Mississippi Governor-elect Kirk Fordice.

The reception with the Mississippi congressional delegation concluded the governor-elect's day-long round of meetings with administration officials, which included President Bush and Vice-President Quayle and members of the President's cabinet.

"He met with members of the administration to discuss the needs of Mississippi. I think he's going to have greater access to the Washington government than any governor we've ever had," said Cochran.

"It was also good to get the delegation together to let the governor know that we're going to work with him to help make his administration a great success," said Cochran. "We've got to work together, Republicans and Democrats, and that's the message from this meeting."

"We're delighted to have Governor-elect Fordice in Washington. It's very important that we all work together," said Senator Lott. "Thad and I certainly are going to work with him, and I know that the House delegation will certainly do everything they can, too."

"It's always absolutely thrilling to meet with the President of the United States," said Fordice. "He was very happy with our victory, and we shared in that joy. We also talked a lot about the economy of the United States and getting some kind of economic growth package going as fast as we can."

We've got to regenerate the economy of the nation and of Mississippi if we're going to achieve any of our other objectives, including enhancement of education, which is so important to everyone," Fordice said.

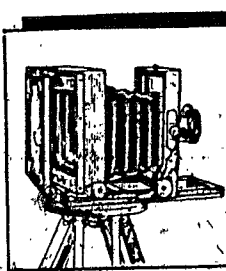
"I am filled with emotion to be here with the entire delegation," he added. "We have the potential to do the best for Mississippi if we all work together. This is an absolutely great day."

Members of the Mississippi congressional delegation had these comments following the meeting with the governor-elect:

"I certainly look forward to working with Governor Fordice. We had a very fine meeting. I'll do what I can to make him one of our great governors," said Cong. Sonny Montgomery.

"I'm here to welcome the governor-elect and express our congratulations to him. We're from opposite parties, but we're all Mississippians, so anything that will improve the quality of life for our state, I'm all for it. Whichever way I can help him to achieve his purposes, I'm for that, too. I send my heart-felt congratulations to Governor-elect Fordice," said Cong. Mike Espy.

"We're going to be working with the governor for the next four years. He's got to have our help up here. He knows that we in Mississippi have to have federal help in order to do a lot of the projects that we need done in the state of Mississippi. I think we'll have a good working relationship with him over the next four years," said Cong. Mike Parker.



From the ECHO ARCHIVES

By Ellis Cuevas

Ten Years Ago

DECEMBER 6, 1981

Coast Electric Power Association will mail out \$1,225,562 in refunds with the next ten days, according to Henry Thomas, general manager. Thomas said there will be a total of 42,700 checks in amounts of \$1 up to customers of Coast Electric during 1975-80.

Customers serviced by Mississippi Power Company between June 1975 and December of 1980 can expect to receive their first refund check from the company between Monday and Thursday of this week, according to John Stevens, vice president of the company, said Friday at a press conference in Gulfport. The refund was due to a court settlement when Peabody Coal Company failed to deliver fuel for shipment to the Watson Electric Generating Plant.

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Twenty-Five Years Ago

DECEMBER 8, 1966

Chuc Garon, x-ray technician, and Jeannie Rutherford, student trainee, were caught in a photo admiring a novel Christmas tree fashioned by the operating room staff of Hancock General Hospital. The green covered coat rack, which stands in the emergency room entrance, is decorated with surgical scissors, scalpels, bandages, angel nurses, and similar appropriate articles.

United Way board president Powell Glass Jr., and campaign chairman Allan Saratt announced the 1966 drive has been a success. With a few dribblets still expected, the goal of \$17,500 was exceeded by \$4,264.97.

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Charles G. Moreau, Editor, Sea Coast Echo, Passes Away Suddenly On Eve of Celebrating the Golden Jubilee Anniversary of the Paper He Started and Continuously Operated For Half Century—Funeral Largely Attended Saturday Morning At 11 O'Clock.

The Episcopal Guild of Christ Church met at the Parish House on Carroll Avenue on Tuesday morning and elected officers for the next two years. Mrs. Sara Power was elected president and Mrs. W.J. Chapman, who has been treasurer of the Guild for forty-two years was named life-treasurer with Mrs. Mary Montgomery as assistant treasurer. Mrs. Carl Marshall was elected vice president, Mr. J.R. Shadoin, recording secretary, and Mrs. Clarence Horton corresponding secretary. The executive committee is composed of Mrs. Carl Marshall, chairman; Mrs. A. L. Reau and Mrs. Minna W. Briggs.

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Seventy-Five Years Ago

DECEMBER 9, 1916

Sea Coast Echoes — The election held at DeLisle to determine the place and to spend \$9,000 to build a school building resulted in a tie vote.

The night school inaugurated by Superintendent Gilmore opened tonight at Central High School building.

Delegates to the National Rivers and Harbors Congress have left the city for Washington to attend the meeting there opening December 6, as follows: J.R. Pratt, George M. Foote, B.E. Eaton, W.T. Stewart and A.G. Ososnach.

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Ninety-Five Years Ago

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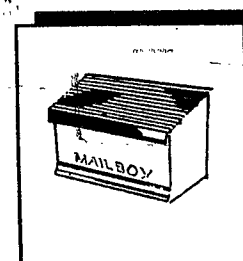
Fitasimmons knocked out the would-be-fighter Sharkey in eight rounds in San Francisco Wednesday night. The purse, however, was awarded to Sharkey on the grounds of a foul.

City Marshall Maynard and family have moved into the Labrano building on Main Street. George said he lived too far from church.

The city of Bay St. Louis spent \$2,900 for the hauling of shells last year.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Veteran commends VA Hospital

To the Editor,

I would like to comment on the care and services I received during a recent stay in the Biloxi VA Hospital.

Forty years ago I did not think very much of having to go overseas to the Korean war. It was expected of me and it was my duty as an able-bodied man. Now as I look back I know it was a proud thing, for I am a proud veteran and am likewise proud of our Biloxi veterans hospital.

I received good care. The hospital was clean and very friendly.

I'm proud of our VA Hospital, proud to be an American, proud to be a veteran, and God bless

you all.

Edward L. Sorrow
Pass Christian

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—Ellis Cuevas, publisher

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Cuevas

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executive director.

After dinner and the conducting of Chamber business, several awards were presented. Sea Coast Echo general manager Randy Ponder accepted the Outstanding Citizen Award on Cuevas's behalf.

In presenting the award, Kennedy commented: "Our recipient has spent his lifetime in this area and spends most of his waking hours working to make our community a better place to live. Our recipient is very humble in taking credit for his activities on behalf of community organizations and frequently dismisses his efforts as 'part of the job'."

Cuevas is a St. Stanislaus graduate. He worked for several years for a Waveland business and served in the Army before beginning work for The Sea Coast Echo. He and his wife Jane have been married 28 years.

His community involvements

include: director, Bay St. Louis Rotary Club, with which he is a past president and Paul Harris Fellow, and was active in forming the Diamondhead Rotary Club; president of United Way of Hancock County; chairman, RSVP advisory council; Hancock County Youth Task Force vice chairman; Chamber board director for many years; director, Goodwill of South Mississippi;

American Legion Post 139 Judge Advocate; Hancock County Sand Beach Advisory Council vice chairman; Tri-County Marine Task Force member; perpetual member, Chamber Beautification Committee; Hancock County Community Services organization member;

South Mississippi United Way steering committee member; member and former board member, Mississippi Press Association; and a member of Main Street United Methodist

Church, where he has served as usher chairman for the past 18 years.

Via a prepared statement, Cuevas remarked: "When I was told of this prestigious honor, I asked if they had the right person."

"I know there are many others in our community more deserving than I am to be so honored. Many of these people's deeds are not known, because they are not as visible as I am in my position."

"I only wish I could be here tonight to receive this great honor in person, but my wife Jane and I made vacation plans months ago. This is the first Chamber banquet I have missed in many years."

"Yes, I am involved in many things within our community, but I feel it all goes 'with the territory.' I do have to give credit to my dedicated staff at The Sea Coast Echo, because without their help, I would not be able to be so involved."

"The needs of many are being

reached through volunteer efforts in our community today, yet there are others who are being overlooked. Working together, we can find solutions and ways to meet the needs of our community."

"I have been blessed with many friends, some for a lifetime, others for only a brief period. I treasure each and every one."

"It is great to have been born in America, and even greater to have been born in Hancock County. Thank you, and God bless each and every one of you."

Other award recipients included: Jennifer Lee, Miss Chamber; Fred DeBen and Martha Van Peski, service awards; Felix Seegar accepting a beautification award on behalf of himself, Betty Benvenutti, Ellis Cuevas, Norieta Robinson, Carol Vegas and the late Warren Carver and Prim Hilliker; and Gerry Lane Motors (Eric Lane and A.C. Adam accepted), community pride.

SADDs hold candlelight vigil

The Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD) organizations of Bay High, Hancock High, Our Lady Academy and St. Stanislaus will hold a candlelight vigil Thursday on the county courthouse steps.

The vigil, which will start at 7 p.m., is in remembrance of all those whose lives have been affected by drinking and driving.

The public is invited to participate.

Carmichael

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Additionally, a New Orleans-to-Mobile shuttle is expected to provide service to Bay St. Louis and other Coast communities. The Sunset Limited, a thrice-weekly train, is slated to provide Mississippi stops in Bay St.

Louis, Gulfport, Biloxi and Pascagoula. This service is scheduled to begin in October 1992.

Carmichael said the Mobile-New Orleans shuttle could begin service as early as January or February.

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Lott

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many problems facing health care such as inflated costs, poor health center access and rampant malpractice premiums. It was through the task force that we finally drew up a measure to deal with such problem.

This bill does a number of positive things to expand access to health care through a combination of different approaches:

- Tax credits: Individual tax credits for purchasing health insurance and health care services would reach almost two-thirds of those without insurance and with limited access to care; tax deductibility of health insurance premiums for self-employed and purchasers of non-employer health care packages; tax credits for small businesses which cover employees and dependents but don't qualify for group coverage; and preventive care tax credits;

- Creation of a public program which will allow states to provide health care coverage to individuals within the poverty level that are not eligible for Medicaid;

- A Community Health Care Center program which, over the next five years, would provide health care to about 7.5 million additional people;

- Greater assistance to rural areas which suffer from inadequate access to quality health care and expansion of the National Health Service Corps to provide these areas with health care professionals;

- Insurance reforms and small business purchasing groups;

- Flexibility and demonstrations on the state level for universal access plans and cost containment initiatives by using funds from federal programs such as Medicaid and Medicare.

This proposal addresses the

problems of health care, but it does so through fiscal responsibility. It reforms medical liability laws which inflate malpractice premiums, encourages the development of managed care, creates new programs allowing states to emphasize primary and preventive care, focuses on preventive care such as childhood immunization and community health centers, and limits health care costs for small businesses through insurance reforms and purchasing groups.

Mississippi has a number of health care problems but none we can't cure. I have co-sponsored child immunization legislation and sent a letter to Health & Human Services Secretary Louis Sullivan and President Bush urging them to support such a measure. Also, I have worked to get roughly \$1.5 million for Mississippi through HHS's Healthy Start program, to study ways to combat infant mortality.

Through hard work and dealing with the issue, not running away, we can bring the quality of health care in Mississippi up to the national level.

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SSC's eighth grade basketball team

From left, front, Marcel Singleton, Ryan Schuster, Phoung Tran, Robbie Welz, Quinn Rigby, Oliver Renguy, Jason Smith and Danny Patton; back, David Barr, Ryan LaFontaine, Jason Kirshenheuter, Terry Lawyer, Wes Fugh, Carey Gex, Thalys Ladner and Coach Eddie Burgo. (Photo by Tom Ackerman)

Bay High junior girls lose two this week

Bay High's seventh/eighth grade girls basketball team suffered two losses this week, first to Hancock 40-8 Monday and then to Pass Christian, 40-11 Thursday.

Coach Stace McRaney

stated, "The loss to Hancock was the team's worst showing so far this season, but the girls are hard trying and are determined to show improvement as the season continues."

During the Hancock game,

leading scorers were Twanna Carter and Charlene Tillman; outstanding defensive players were Twanna Carter, Octavia McKay and Chari Lee; and notable hustling was made by Desarae Whavers and Karen

Singleton.

During the Pass Christian game the leading scorer was Twanna Carter, and outstanding defensive players were Desarae Whavers and Chari Lee.

On giving painlessly



REFLECTIONS ON LIFE

By Father Jerome LeDoux, SVD

Why is it that we never see bake sales for the benefit of manufacturing weapons, supplying the military or paying the members of Congress? But why do we frequently see bake sales

SIA group changes meetings

Survivors of Incest Anonymous will not meet the week of Christmas and New Year's Day.

The support group for survivors of childhood sexual abuse by a family member or other authority figure, meets weekly on Wednesdays, 1:30 p.m. at Payou Phillips Community Center on Hwy. 90 west of Waveland.

Regular meetings will resume January 8.

For more information, call Susan (Kathy) Boudreaux at 466-3459 or Barbara at 255-1092.

SENIOR CITIZENS HAPPENINGS

By Eve McDonald

THANKSGIVING BAGS

We thank Coast Salvage for all of the donated items we were able to share with our participants. Burger King gave us the bags, and Coast Salvage helped fill them. They have promised to do a repeat for Christmas.

We have also received "extras" for our Meals-On-Wheels clients from Coast Salvage and other interested persons and civic groups. We were able to send our Meals-On-Wheels folks fresh oranges and apples for their Thanksgiving dinner. Thanks for caring, all you kind folks.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The American Legion Post 139 and Auxiliary will host our Christmas party again this year on Wednesday, Dec. 11 at 11 a.m. at the Legion Home.

All of the seniors signed up with us and those with RSVP are invited. Senator Vic Franc-kiewicz and his group will entertain again. They are a lot of fun, and play good music, too! Thanks, you guys.

We will have good food, fellowship and entertainment. Who could ask for anything more? Door prizes? OK, those too!

We are still selling chances on the beautiful picture donated by Carl Baldenhofer and the lovely afghan crocheted

for the support of churches, schools and teachers?

Unfortunately, we all know the answer to that question. It is never a problem of finding money for any of these things, but rather a simple ranking of priorities. If necessary, Congress or any ruling body will set their teeth and levy taxes.

Well, maybe, if it is politically expedient; this is, if the people don't threaten to turn them out of office. Legislative bodies may have scruples about paying teachers, but they never have a problem raising their own salaries.

It is obscene for us to continue building a more deadly overkill in our military and wasting our state and national tax dollars on foolish pork-barrel projects while our teachers are on the line demonstrating for decent wages.

However, it is not all the fault of government. (As if govern-

ment in a democracy were something "distinct" from the people.) "We the people" are also to blame, because we want all our taxation to be painless.

We want a constant high level of services, but we do not want to foot the bill. We sit back with apathy while governing bodies seize monies for the military or the pork barrel, but we scream when poor lackeys like teachers beg.

The lottery is perhaps the best indicator of how want to avoid pain in paying taxes. Accurately described as a form of voluntary income tax, the lottery may slow down from its initial fervor, but it will never want for takers.

In fine, the lottery is a painless way of paying taxes, because those who play the lottery are driven by that grand old American motivation: the greed incentive. Few people mind seeing their money used by the state if they are given a chance to hit upon some big money.

The lottery's first cousin, bingo, serves a similar function. It would appear that giving a generous offering to the church of one's choice is too difficult for many people. Or shall we say, it is simply not a priority.

Nevertheless, that same money which many churchgoers cling to as needed for themselves is gladly released if bingo presents an opportunity for making an easy kill.

Yes, it is obvious that this cousin of the lottery is just a painless way of contributing to a church or to other charitable causes. We find the good old capitalistic greed incentive even here in God's house.

Back to the bake sales which we mentioned at the outset of this discussion. They are not an occasion of making money as in the case of a lottery or bingo, but they do afford a less painful way of giving than an outright donation.

There is a related phenomenon in which churches cannibalize each other through fund-raising pew rallies, musicals and through bazaars. Naturally, the root problem is always the same: how to procure revenues in a painless way.

Seeking painless or less painful ways to give is not wrong in itself, but it may betray an attitude which is selfish. While not denying the social fun of bazaars and bingos, we need to explore our deepest motivations for giving.

SSC soccer squads dominate the field

BY TRACI BONNEY

The SSC soccer Rock-A-Chaws are 5-1-1 overall and 2-0 in district after their first seven games of the season.

The Rocks went into a two-rotation shootout with Long Beach November 25 in the season opener. Tied at 1-1 at the end of regulation, the two teams battled to a 4-4 tie in the first rotation. SSC took the lead and kept it in the second rotation to win 8-6.

On November 29 and 30, the Rocks played a tournament in Houma, La., winning two and tying one to win their pool, then winning the quarterfinals.

SSC first defeated Rummel

8-1 and South Terrebonne 9-1, and tied 0-0 with Mandeville to move to the quarterfinals, where the Rocks won 4-0 over Hahnville. In the semi-finals, SSC lost 1-0 to Mandeville.

On December 5, SSC won its second district game 3-0 against St. John. Rock Raul Aragon scored all three goals with assists from Kendall Daniels, Brooks Quinlan and Drew Scafide. SSC's top defender was Michael Erdoes, who helped the Rocks preserve their shutout.

The SSC junior varsity team is undefeated after two games with victories of 5-1 over Long Beach and 4-0 over St. John.

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BACK TO NATURE

Bird activity slow this time of year

BY LYDIA D. SCHULTZ
The yard is depressingly quiet this time of year. The only movement is a leaf or two which pulls my eyes to its waffling motions through the air. Occasionally the activity picks up, but it is a far cry from the summer when there are birds everywhere.

This lack of activity can be attributed to several things. We haven't had enough cold weather to kill off the natural food sources. It is warm and muggy enough to keep insects out, and birds feed on them.

You've heard the old theory that birds become dependent on bird feeders. Well, I scoff at that old myth every year when the birds leave my very-well-stocked feeders to go au

natural.

Sure, I've had some White-throated sparrows, Cardinals and Blue Jays. The Titmice and Chickadees occasionally show up. One lone Goldfinch put in a scanty appearance. The usual guys come by, but not many and not too often.

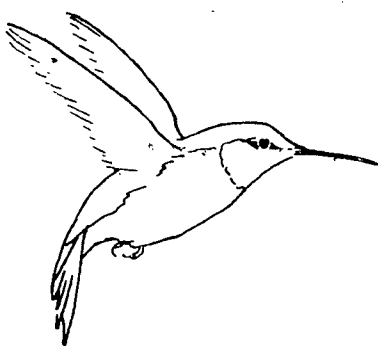
Another thing that affects feeder birds during the late fall and winter is the presence of predatory birds such as Sharp-shinned Hawks. They winter here. These are small hunters (approximately 11" long) that prey on birds and small mammals.

This is okay. It's natural. But it does affect my feeders a lot at times.

When I see a bird frozen for an endless amount of time, not even moving its head, I don't need to go look

to see if a "sharp" is near.

Big excitement came on Nov. 14. Early a.m., I'd just finished my walk and was watering a plant when I heard the sound of either a



Ruby-throated hummingbird or a Black-chinned hummingbird. They're in the same family, so they do sound alike.

Knowing that they only make sounds if other hummers are near, I ran around to the "good" garden area with all the blossoms.

And the activity was tremendous. Mind you, it was three days after the front had moved in. My buddy, Nancy Newfield, the hummingbird expert, tells me that that's when they usually show up—several days after the fronts. (Being curious, I wonder where they've been in the meantime! Don't you?)

A Buff-bellied hummingbird was chasing a Black-chinned so furiously that at first I thought it was two Buffs. Time proved that theory wrong. Just one.

The two eventually settled down to a nice arrangement: one part of the yard for the Buff-bellied hummer and one part of the yard for the other. I was thrilled.

I know that I couldn't claim them to be wintering

with me until they'd stayed at least two weeks. Too often, this time of year will find them coming, tanking up on food, and off they go.

So I started my vigil of watching each morning for the very confident, loud Buff to feed. Once I heard or saw him, I felt better. He even sang several times, which let me know it was an adult male. (It's not much of a song, believe me! Hummers that do sing are not melodious!)

But six days was all I got to enjoy him. Eight for the Black-chinned. Where they went I'll never know.

Seemed to me that the bushes and feeders should've kept them. Maybe they'll be back.

There's another front coming through as of this writing. It's a great time to be looking for Rufous hummers. Keep the feeders clean and well stocked.

Good birding!



A break in the traffic

Pass Christian Garden Club members (from left) Gertrude Brown, corresponding secretary; Liz Hedgepeth and president Mary Catherine Ward chat during a rare slow moment at Christmas in the Pass Friday. (Echo staff photo by Traci Bonney)



SHOPPING UP A STORM

By Katy McGuire Caire

As the pre-Christmas tempo quickens, with Yuletide plans and parties and club activities and Christmas shopping, etc., crowding the hours of our days, we often find ourselves almost too rushed by it all to cook up a "real" meal.

The solution, my solution at any rate, is to "cook big, make it last"—in other words, cook up a roast or a big pot of stew or soup or jambalaya or such, and count on the leftover (I prefer the term "planned over") meals to see me through the more hectic times.

Our area supermarkets are certainly cooperating to help you achieve this end, with special prices on beef shoulder roasts, beef chuck tender roasts and Boston Butt fresh pork roasts, as well as whole chickens (breasts and leg quarters, also). And other "specials" as well.

Special prices on long-grain rice, potatoes and pasta also beckon the bargain-hunting food shopper. The vegetable and fruit bins are spilling over with produce, ready for combining

with the meats or poultry of your choice or affording a tasty meal on their own.

There are good buys in staples, also, and in flour and sugar and all the other items you'll need for making up the holiday treats, for your own use or for gifts straight from the heart—and the kitchen!

I like to cook a pork loin butt, say a three-pound or thereabouts in weight, with a little chili powder and lemon and a few other touches, then use the leftovers in stir-fry dishes, or in a barbecue sauce, slicing or shredding the pork and so on. Here's:

SPICY PORK ROAST

3 lb. pork loin butt (you may use another cut of pork, as you wish)

1 tsp. chili powder (try a bit less at first; I like the "hot" taste, you may not)

8 thin slices of lemon

1 cup cold water

2 Tblsp. flour

1 apples, cored and halved

1 Tblsp. peanut butter

1 Tblsp. brown sugar

Pepper, salt to your taste

1 cup hot water

1 tsp. chopped parsley

Place the pork in a baking pan, sprinkle with salt and pepper, then with the chili powder. Arrange lemon slices atop the pork. Add a cup of cold water, cover the baking pan, and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 1½ hours.

Meanwhile, halve and core the apples, leaving a large enough cavity in the apple halves for the peanut butter and brown sugar mixed together. Bake for a half hour longer.

Remove the roast and the apples as well. Add the flour to the drippings, stirring smooth, then add a cup of hot water, stirring well. Sprinkle the pork with the parsley before serving.

Sometimes I simply bake the halved apples along with the roast, but my sons liked the peanut butter and brown sugar when they were small, so I used to cook it that way. You might want to put raisins in the apple halves, instead.

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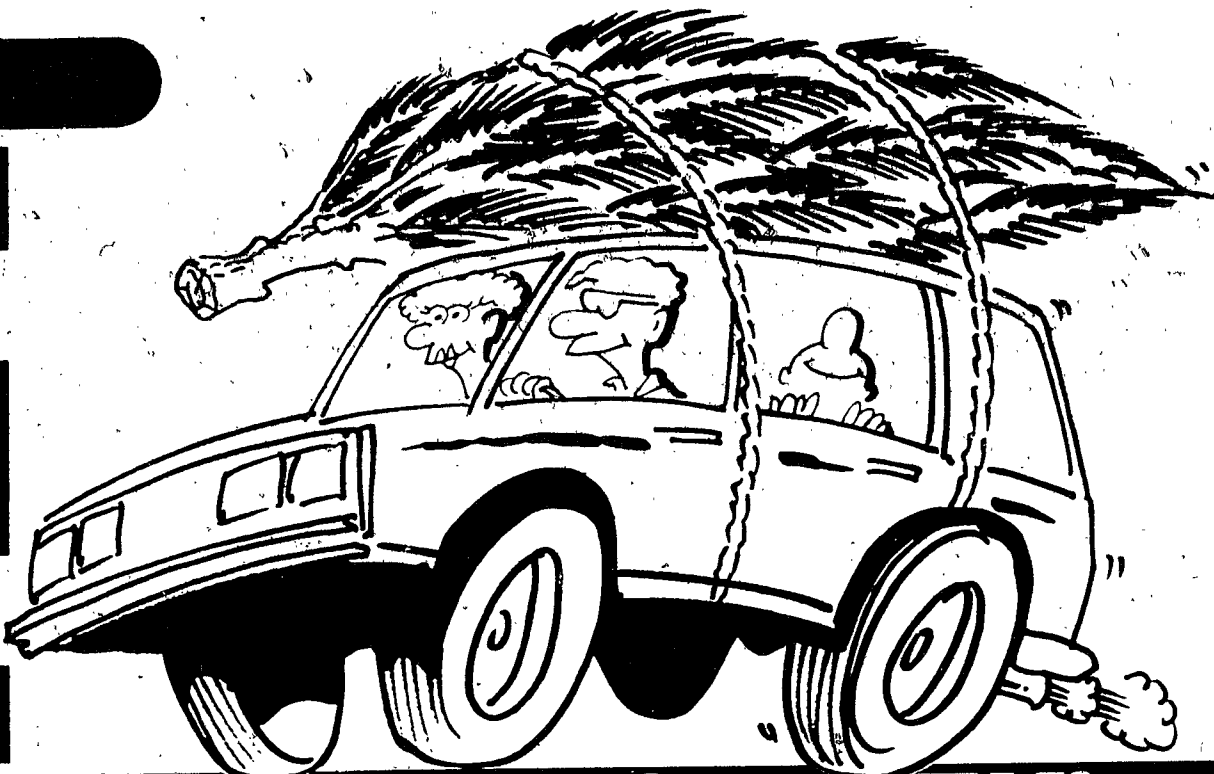
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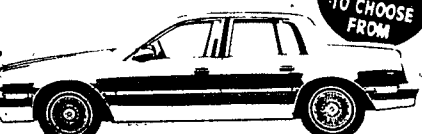
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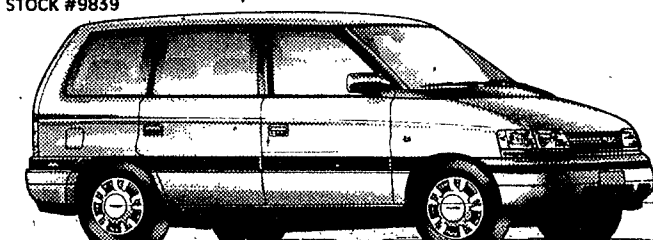
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Twilight Christmas tour

Scenic Drive homes featured in CES fund-raiser

BY JANET MCQUEEN

Thousands of brilliant white tiny lights will beckon visitors to the 500 block of Pass Christian's Scenic Drive this evening from 4-7 for a tour of five historic homes.

Christmas trees, angels, stars and crosses crafted by Job Corps students and wrapped in shiny garland glistening with lights will hang from the huge live oak trees which line the block.

Delectable homemade gourmet entrees and desserts will be sold, to make holiday entertaining a snap for the busy hostess. "Gourmet-to-Go" will be available at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Levert II, 533 E. Scenic.

Sherried Shrimp, Sueraine's Seafood Gumbo, Sirloin Tips Burgundy, Chocolate Kahlua Cheesecake and Creme de Menthe Brownies are some of the selections prepared by parents of Coast Episcopal School students. The items will be available frozen, but visitors may sample each of the foods at the homes on the tour.

Homes on view will be those of Dr. and Mrs. William Hopper, 551 E. Scenic Drive; Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Levert III, 533 E. Scenic Drive; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hines, 519 E. Scenic Drive; Mr. and Mrs. Sadun Tor, 513 E. Scenic Drive; and Mr. and Mrs. Reilly Stonecipher, 503 E. Scenic Drive.

The Hoppers' one-story framed Colonial Revival home, known as Ballymore, was built as a two-room Creole cottage with nogging construction.

An inset gallery with chamfered posts shelters the entire 11-bay facade. The original portion of the home features exposed beaded beams and beaded baseboard.

Markle House or the Leverts' home is a well-proportioned, two-story brick, hip-roofed Colonial Revival dwelling with flanking, one-story hip-roofed

wings.

The double-tiered inset gallery has cabinets enclosed with louvered blinds. The fence, landscaping and brick were selected to complement the period piece, designed by Richard Koch of Koch & Wilson in New Orleans.

Another Colonial Revival dwelling is the Hines' home or the Breaux-Clay House. The two-story frame home has a double-tiered inset gallery with giant-order square columns.

A column frontispiece surrounds the single-leaf door with leaded-glass upper panel and carved lower panel. On the west side, there is a two-story hip-roofed addition to the west side and a porte-cochere on the eastern end.

The Tor home, known as the Breaux-Pritchard, was built around 1910 and is a picturesque, two-story chalet-type bungalow. The double-tiered inset gallery features pergola detailing and extends into a porte-cochere on the western end.

Built between 1895 and 1915, the Stonecipher home is two stories with a central pavilion. The double-tiered gallery is set with fluted, Tuscan ionic columns.

There are full-length four-over-four windows in the service gallery. Renovations and additions were done in 1986.

Entertainment during the tour will be provided by Christine Andres, French horn; the Consortium Renaissance Players; Dean Curtis, piano; Judy D'Angelo, voice; Courtney Hopper, violin; Ann Hopper, piano; Cathy Manein, guitar-voice; William Mohler, cello; Jennifer Smith, flute;

Southern Mississippi classical guitar players, Sweet Adelines; the Suzuki Players; and Trinity Episcopal Church handbell performers.

Strolling carolers will be members of Coast Episcopal Elementary Show Choir, Coast Episcopal High Singers, Junior Girl Scout Troop 507 and Trinity Episcopal EYC.

The area will be closed to traffic, and visitors are asked to park at Trinity Episcopal Church, where a shuttle service will be offered.

Tour tickets are available at each end of the block for \$12 for adults and \$4 for children. Proceeds benefit Coast Episcopal Schools.



Entries sought in decorating contest

Special to the Echo

Get in the Christmas spirit by putting up that Christmas display you have been thinking about and enter the annual citywide Christmas Lighting and Decorating Contest, sponsored by Bay-Waveland Garden Club.

Enter your home in the residential category and/or your business in the commercial category. New or existing displays of all types (that is, lighting displays, ghoulish themes, old-fashioned Christmas, etc.) are acceptable in either category.

If you can't put up a big display, decorate your door for the separate Door Decoration Contest.

Both contests are limited to the city limits of Bay St. Louis and Waveland.

There is no fee to enter, but you must register to be judged by calling Jeanne Szczechowski at 467-2429. Entries will be judged on the evenings of Dec. 17 and 18.

All participants will receive certificates, and winners will be pictured in the Sea Coast Echo.



Planning St. Paul Christmas tea

Ladies of the St. Paul Catholic Church Altar Society in Pass Christian are holding their annual Christmas tea at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Bernadas Wednesday. The tea is open to the public and will feature a Christmas boutique of handmade items. There is no fee, but a donation is appreciated, as all funds are used to enhance the beauty of the St. Paul altar. The tea will be at 805 East Scenic Drive in Pass Christian from 2 to 4:30 p.m. Pictured are, from left, Marlene Logan, Charlotte Bernadas, Joanne Kinney and Shirley Schmidt. (Echo staff photo by Jacqui Cochran)

Hancock's Red Ribbon Christmas Celebration

Sunday, December 8

"FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS"

Coleman Avenue, Waveland - 5-8 p.m.

Coleman Avenue will be the location for holiday activities beginning with a Christmas lighting at 5 p.m. The St. Rose de Lima Choir will perform at 5:30 p.m. and several old time carolers will be strolling around as visitors enjoy refreshments and goodies at open houses hosted by the merchants of Coleman Avenue. Old time trolley rides will take visitors on a delightful trip down Christmas Card Lane and Christmas Door Lane from 5-8 p.m. Santa will arrive with his sack of goodies, and the activities will culminate with a bonfire at the end of Coleman Avenue.

Monday, December 9

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

Hancock Chamber of Commerce - 5-7 p.m.

Bring in the holiday season at the Chamber's holiday Business After Hours. Put on your Santa hat and have a glass of cheer with us and mingle with colleagues and chamber members.

Thursday, December 12

CHRISTMAS ON THE COURTYARD

Hairworks, 401 Dunbar, Bay St. Louis - 5:30-8 p.m.

Keith and Jan Mitchell of Hairworks will host a holiday fashion show featuring fashions from the Princess Dress Shoppe and Anthony's Men's Wear in the courtyard of Hairworks Admission is \$6 per person and all proceeds benefit the Firemen's Toy and Doll Fund.

Saturday, December 14

WAVELAND ANIMAL SHELTER'S

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Bay High Gymnasium - 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Along with the craft booths, there will be games and a pie-throwing booth. Proceeds benefit the Animal Shelter.

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11 a.m.-2 p.m.

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TOUR OF HOMES

10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Three of the area's beautiful old homes will open their doors to show off their breath-taking holiday decorations.

MAIN STREET BUSINESSES

OPEN HOUSE

Downtown Bay St. Louis

10 a.m. 'til

Main Street merchants will have holiday specials throughout the day and extend their hours to give shoppers a little extra time to make those special purchases.

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Main Street, Bay St. Louis

11-11:30 a.m.

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DIAMONDHEAD BOATERS PARADE

Diamondhead Yacht Club

5 p.m.

Enjoy the spectacular array of holiday decorations and lights in this floating parade. This parade is the original of its kind on the Coast. With no admission charge, the delightful outing is guaranteed fun for the entire family. Several area schools will be participating as well as the youth choir from the Diamondhead Baptist Church. Santa will arrive on the last boat of the parade and have goodies for the kids. The Yacht Club restaurant will offer po-boy specials, and at 7:30 there will be live entertainment and dancing. Come enjoy a wonderful evening in Diamondhead.

LUMINARY LIGHTING

Downtown, Bay St. Louis

Dusk

Don't miss the spectacular view as "Old Town" Bay St. Louis is transformed into a walkway of lights. Downtown merchants will set out luminaries in Old World fashion to light the way for customers and friends to take advantage of extended hours for their holiday shopping pleasure.

Tuesday, December 17

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

Hancock Welcome Center

10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Stop by the Welcome Center for the sights and sounds of Christmas! Enjoy beautiful decorations, delicious refreshments, and holiday performances by the children from Headstart at 10 a.m. and the RSVP Choir at 10:30 a.m.

Saturday, December 21

MAIN STREET MARKET

Olde Towne Restaurant Parking Lot

Downtown Bay St. Louis - 8 a.m.-noon

SANTA VISITS DIAMONDHEAD

PLAZA SHOPPING CENTER

Noon-5 p.m.

Santa will arrive on a fire engine at the Plaza Shopping Center and will be available for pictures with the children at the Fire Station. Sponsored by Diamondhead Rotary Club.

OLD TIME TROLLEY RIDES

PLAZA SHOPPING CENTER

DIAMONDHEAD

1-3 p.m.

Relax and take a ride to view the beautiful holiday decorations in Diamondhead. Sights include the Fire Station, the Gingerbread House Display at the Country Club, and the Newcomers Club Decorations at the Community Center.

WEDDINGS, ENGAGEMENTS

Ishem-Alexander



Mr. and Mrs. Hosea M. Alexander Jr.

Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church in Los Angeles, California was the setting for the October 26 Nuptial Mass uniting Deborah M. Ishem and Hosea M. Alexander Jr. in matrimony.

The Rev. Jerome Schmit was main celebrant of the Mass, which was concelebrated by the Rev. James Barnes. Officiating deacons were Hosea M. Alexander Sr., Weldon Burgayne and John Gaudin.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ishem of Bay St. Louis. The groom's parents are Deacon and Mrs. Hosea Alexander Sr. of Los Angeles.

Musical selections were presented by the Morning Star choir, under the direction of John and Joan Allen. Soloists were Sheree Brown, April Pinson, Vincent Alexander, Yolanda Smith and Ilya Conyette.

Pianist was John Allen. Readings from scripture were rendered by Kirsten Johnson and the groom's father. Offertory gift bearers were Renard Gueringer and Golden Fairconnetue.

The bride chose for her wedding a winter white satin gown with bateau neckline and fitted bodice adorned with lace appliques embellished with sequins and pearls. The basque waistline featured a bow at the back and the full skirt extended to a cathedral length train.

A wreath of tiny flowers and pearls held a tiered veil of bridal illusion.

Matrons of honor were Marinella V. Miller of Los Angeles and Melanie I. Harrison of Baton Rouge, La., sisters of the bride.

Bridesmaids were April Pinson, Nancy Jones Alexander, Kimberly Douglas, Eilene Valencia, Bonnie Dedeaux Hall and Monica Lewis.

Raven Joy Fluker-Flowers was flower girl.

Serving as best men were Edward A. Alexander and Vincent F. Alexander.

Groomsmen were James Gajewski, Richard Anderson, James Davenport, Dominic Leslie, Theodore Slaughter and Glenn Carrere Sr.

Ushers were Clarence L. Ross III, Eric Stanton, Daniel W. Johnson II, Jason Miller and Renard Gueringer.

Glenn Carrere Jr. was ring bearer.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Veteran's Memorial and in Culver City, Calif.

On return from a wedding trip to Las Vegas, Nevada, the couple resides in Los Angeles.

Wilbourn-Madere

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilbourn of Bay St. Louis announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Stacey Marie Wilbourn, to Eric Richard Madere, son of Edward Madere of Bay St. Louis and Cheryl Madere of Petal, Miss.

The bride-elect is a 1988 graduate of Bay Senior High School. She is employed with Bea's Arcade in Bay St. Louis.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Petal High School. He is employed with W. G. Yates Construction Co. in Gulfport.

First Baptist Church in Bay St. Louis will be the setting for the December 21 marriage at 1 p.m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend the ceremony and the reception which follows.



Eric Madere and Stacey Wilbourn

DOWN HOME

By Darlene Underwood
Hancock County
Home Economist

Less is better
for Christmas 1991



Well, Thanksgiving has come and gone. Memories of family get-togethers and culinary delights are fading-fast as we join the throngs of shoppers searching for that "perfect" gift for each person on the Christmas list.

Americans operate under the assumption that if a little is good, a lot is better. For instance more money, more leisure, more fun, more cars and bigger houses are considered desirable. However, I challenge you to make this a happier Christmas by choosing less.

To experience less stress, consider looking at your expectations and bringing them in line with the realities of your life.

Less spending on Christmas gifts and activities will certainly make the January bills more acceptable. Try making a list of gifts that you can afford and then sticking to the list. A lot of money is spent on just the perfect gift when in reality, a less

expensive remembrance would have been equally prized.

Laughter and a relaxed attitude towards life is what you need more of this Christmas. Let the burdens and stresses roll off and just enjoy being happy.

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Veterans of WWI Auxiliary

The Veterans of World War I Auxiliary of Bay St. Louis met Nov. 27 at the senior citizens dining hall. The meeting was called to order by Genevieve Cole, president. Opening prayer was presented by Tuleter Oliver, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all. Past national president Pauline Charming read the minutes of the previous meeting.

Four new members were welcomed, all daughters and granddaughters of a veteran of World War I, Shirley Clemons, Virginia Kenney, Alene Ward and Ruth Ann Malazzo. Pauline Charming gave a report on the visit of national senior vice president Olive Kelner of Grand Falls, S.D.

Mrs. Kelner was very impressed by the hospitality of the Bay St. Louis people. She received welcome letters from Mayor Edward Favre, Congressman Gene Taylor and from the president of the chamber of commerce and a magnolia made by veterans from the Veterans Administration. State Senator Victor Frankiewicz was guest at the reception and welcomed her.

President Cole thanked the members for their work as volunteers at the VA Hospital and nursing homes.

A delicious Thanksgiving dinner was enjoyed. The table was decorated by Tuleter Oliver. She also gave corsages to the members.

The next meeting will be in December, date to be announced later.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly

WAVELAND

TOPS MS 233 Waveland met Tuesday, Dec. 3 at the Waveland Library. Rose was the week's best loser.

A few members received charms, Vera for being best loser in October and Judy for being best loser in November.

Carolyn, Rose and Randal each got a charm for helping someone to join the club. Randal also earned his 40-pound-loss charm, and Carolyn got her KIW charm.

The group meets every Tuesday at the Waveland Public Library. Weigh-ins are from 5:30-6 p.m. with the meeting immediately following.

Anyone interested in losing weight sensibly and maintaining that weight loss is invited to visit. Call Charlotte at 467-5790 for information.

Multiple Sclerosis Society

The Gulf Coast Branch of Multiple Sclerosis of Mississippi will hold its annual Christmas party December 14 at the Coliseum Holiday Inn in Biloxi on Hwy. 90 from 2:30 p.m.

All members, their families and friends are invited to attend. For more information, contact Larry McIntosh, 388-7032, Jan Cloud or Annette Lawrence (Pascagoula) 588-6303.



Poppy girl crownings

Waveland Mayor Stella Filot crowns Kristie Pearce (left photo) and Johanna Drumm (right photo) as American Legion Post #77 Miss Poppy and Junior Miss Poppy before the Veterans Day parade held recently.



Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5931 Ladies Auxiliary

The Ladies Auxiliary of Pass Christian VFW Post 5931 met Thursday, Nov. 14 at the post on East Scenic Drive.

The meeting was opened by the president, Liz Callahan, followed by the opening ceremony and the Pledge of Allegiance. After reading of the minutes, the treasurer's report, official communication and thank-you notes were read by the secretary, Estell Myers. Ann member, Diane Peranich, was welcomed into the auxiliary.

Committee reports: Louis Haltom, cancer aid chairman, announced that a Christmas boutique would be at the Post on Wednesday, Nov. 20 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Members were asked to assist on Tuesday to prepare for the boutique.

Alma Ruspoli, Buddy Poppy chairman, reported that the poppy sale was successful. A girl's bicycle will be purchased as a safety award for school children to be held after the Thanksgiving holidays.

Reports were given by Betty Bates, PAC chairman, and Ann Latino, Sunshine chairman. Mattie Mitchell reported that both birthday parties (at Miramar Nursing Home and the Dixie White House Nursing Home) were held this week.

Julia Cerra reported that a program on wetlands was presented at the Pass Christian Elementary School. Flags were given to the fire station, senior citizens center, park and the Miramar Nursing Home.

The auxiliary's next event will be a covered dish dinner Thursday, Dec. 12 at the post. Husbands and guests will be invited.

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 139

The Veterans Christmas Gift Shop, sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliaries of the Gulf Coast, was offered Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 2 and 3 at the Veterans Hospital in Gulfport.

Volunteers who participated from Clement R. Bontemps American Legion Auxiliary Unit 139 were VACS chairman Shirley Clemons, Lou Wilkerson, Evelyn Burns, Phyllis Moran and Roslyn Weathers. Also present were Jesse Burns and John Wilkerson.

The veterans appreciated the gifts for their families and thanked the ladies for their thoughtfulness.

The monthly sing-a-long, co-hosted by Oris Planchard and Roslyn Weathers, for the residents of the Hotel Reed Nursing Center was Thursday, Dec. 5.

Lena Mae Oustalet played the piano, Roslyn Weathers led the singing and Oris Planchard and Pat Turnipseed went among the residents to visit and encourage them to join in the activity.

Beth Gruzinskas, activity director, had the dining room decorated and was pleased to see the response of the residents to the 'oldies but goodies,' gospel and hymns, and all were in a festive mood. Oris Planchard helped serve the refreshments.

Bay-Waveland Garden Club

The Bay-Waveland Garden Club will meet at the Garden Center on Leonhard Avenue Thursday, Dec. 12 at 2 p.m. for a Christmas party.

"Tastes from Grandmother's Kitchen"—Members are reminded to bring their favorite Christmas recipes for a tasting party.

Members are also reminded to donate items to the Hancock County Food Pantry. Food is needed more than ever at Christmas.

"Christmas Joy" is the theme for the club's mini-flower show, and everyone is encouraged to participate.

Hancock Women's Club

The Hancock Women's Club will have its Christmas luncheon meeting at 11 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 12 at the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club.

Attendees are asked to bring an article in the \$5-\$10 range to be used in a gift exchange program.

Southern Women's Club

The Southern Women's Club, formerly the Gulfport Junior Women's Club, will hold its Christmas luncheon meeting Dec. 12 at Chimneys Restaurant on Hwy. 90 in Long Beach. The business meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m.

An ornament exchange, the announcement of the Clubwoman of the Year, and a holiday fashion show, presented by Formally Yours of Long Beach, will highlight the event. For information, call 864-0884 or 863-5200.



PC Garden Club luncheon

Joanna Hudson (left), president of the Long Beach Garden Club and first vice president of the Gulf Coast Council of Garden Clubs, and Pass Christian Garden Club member Jean Stanbro chat during the Pass Christian Garden Club's annual Christmas luncheon at the Pass Christian Yacht Club Thursday. Stanbro was recently reappointed to the Harrison County Parkway Commission. (Echo staff photo by Traci Bonney)

SEALING TINY TRAPS

Q. How common are "pits and fissures", and how do they affect the teeth?

A. These very tiny depressions and grooves are normally present on the chewing surfaces of the back teeth. They invite decay because it's difficult to keep them free of plaque and bits of food. Even a single bristle of a toothbrush is too big to reach into these miniature crevices.

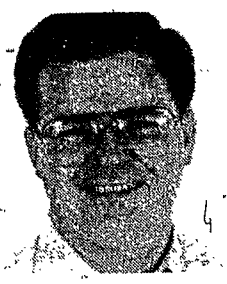
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ALZHEIMERS SUPPORT GROUP

Vicki Edwards, B.C.S.W.

Tuesday, December 10/11 AM/FREE

This support group will meet in the Women's Resource Suite. For more information, call 646-0560

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Joanne Lightfoot, Director of The Parenting Center

Friday, December 13/9:30-11 AM/FREE

Children between the ages of three and five change everyday. It's important that parents understand the changes that are occurring. Topics will include: the ages and stages of development, the developing child and realistic expectations and temperament. To register, please call 649-8529.

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Ann Marten, B.C.S.W.

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Powe named program manager for NASA tri-state educational program

Special to the Echo
NASA's John C. Stennis Space Center (SSC) announced recently the appointment of Dr. David L. Powe as the on-site program manager for the agency's innovative Tri-State Education Initiative (TSEI), effective Jan. 2.

Encompassing an area with-

Bay physician recertified

Dr. Sidney A. Chevis of Bay St. Louis has been recertified as a diplomate of the American Board of Family Practice (ABFP) as a result of passing a recertification examination offered by the ABFP. The physician thus maintains specialist status in the medical specialty of family practice.

ABFP diplomates must continue to show proof of competence in the field of comprehensive, continuing care of the family by being recertified every six years. The family practice specialty was the first to require diplomates to be recertified on a continuing basis.

in a 50-mile radius of NASA's new Advanced Solid Rocket Motor facility near Iuka, the TSEI's goal is to "promote and support the efforts of communities therein, in developing a quality education system that will permit their citizens to obtain the necessary skills for gainful employment—into the 21st century—in America's high-technology economy."

Powe will work closely with the recently established TSEI Consortium and its chairman, Roger L. Moore, superintendent of the Colbert County Schools System, Ala. and its director. The consortium, sponsored by NASA, is an association of 30 school districts in Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee organized to work cooperatively to enhance and broaden the capabilities of their respective education systems within the tri-state area. Representation on the consortium and its nine-member executive board is provided by each of the 30 superintendents.

Assuming on-site management of the TSEI, Powe will be located permanently in the soon-to-be-operational Tri-State Learning Center outside of Iuka. He will work closely with NASA staff at SSC, the

Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville, Ala., and NASA Headquarters Education Division, Washington, D.C.

Powe will continue to facilitate education initiatives within the tri-state area, coordinate the participation of other federal agencies, state organizations and the private sector. A major task will be to develop specific education programs and to promote and support community efforts to develop a world-class education system.

Powe brings to this position excellent qualifications, including extensive educational experience. Powe received his doctorate in education administration from the University of Southern Mississippi in 1984, his master's degree in social work in 1975, and his bachelor's degree in social work and psychology in 1969, both from Mississippi State University. His strong leadership and communication skills and ties

with the society and culture of the region will also be of great benefit to the program.

Powe's most recently held position was president of Mississippi Delta Community College. Under three years of his leadership, the school's enrollment increased by 39 percent.

Some of Powe's other accomplishments in education include serving as superintendent for McComb Public Schools and chairman for the executive committee of the Mississippi Association of Junior/Community Colleges. Powe was also elected to serve as president for the Mississippi Association of Colleges.

The Tri-State Education Initiative is a cooperative effort undertaken by NASA to work toward accomplishment of the national educational goals outlined in America 2000, President Bush's bold education strategy.

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George A. Walker Jr. of Pass Christian, director of the Naval Oceanographic Office (NAVOCEANO) Hydrographic Department at Stennis Space Center, retired Nov. 30.

Walker, an internationally known hydrographer, spent 40 years in federal service. Among his noteworthy accomplishments were participation in Operations Hardtack, the atom bomb test at Bikini and Eniwetok Atoll in the South Pacific; participation in the first Ocean Survey Program bathymetry surveys in the Mediterranean and Norwegian Seas;

Survey operations aboard a Turkish Naval ship while assigned to the Turkish Hydrographic Office; planned and initiated action for the formation of the NAVOCEANO/USMC riverine survey team for the Mekong Delta operations; and served as the U.S. Navy delegate to the 12th International Hydrographic Conference in Monaco.

During his career he served aboard 18 different ships, providing the necessary leadership and expertise to conduct critical hydrographic surveys all over the world.

He managed the NAVOCEANO hydrographic survey in support of Desert Shield and Desert Storm, and successfully executed this very difficult mission.

Walker planned and exe-



George Walker Jr.

cuted the Harbor Survey Assistance Program, known today as the International Hydrographic Cooperative Program (HYCOOP) and served as its director until becoming director of the Hydrographic Department at NAVOCEANO.

Today, as a result of his guidance, the HYCOOP is routinely involved in developing agreements with an ever-growing number of nations throughout the world.

O'Meallie presents advertising seminar

Barbara O'Meallie, Barbara Incorporated, Pass Christian, recently made a presentation on specialty advertising at the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College in Gulfport.

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Tuesday
Fruit Juice, Pancake and Syrup.
Wednesday
Fruit Juice, Cinnamon Roll.
Thursday
Fruit Juice, Sausage Biscuit.
Friday
Fruit Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Hot Biscuit.
Milk served daily.

LUNCH
Monday
Corn Dog and Mustard, Macaroni and Cheese Casserole, Buttered Peas, Chilled Peaches.
Tuesday
BBQ Chicken, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Pineapple Salad, Hot Roll.
Wednesday
BBQ Rib Po-boy, French Fries, Peas and Carrots, Fruited Jello with Topping.
Thursday
Christmas Meal
Mrs. Claus Turkey, Shepherd Dressing, Wise Men Carrots, North Pole Fruit Cup, Rudolph's Cherry Cobbler, Angel Roll, Snowman's Milk.
Friday
Spaghetti and Meat Sauce, Buttered Peas, Garden Salad, Hot Roll, Ice Cream Sandwich.
Menu subject to change without notice. Milk served daily.

Bay Middle and Bay High Schools

BREAKFAST

Monday
Fruit Juice, Cereal, Whole Wheat Toast, Jelly.
Tuesday
Fruit Juice, Pancake and Syrup.
Wednesday
Fruit Juice, Cinnamon Roll.
Thursday
Fruit Juice, Sausage Biscuit.
Friday
Fruit Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Hot Biscuit.
LUNCH

McKenna students hold annual Christmas recital

Piano students of Mrs. John McKenna held their annual Christmas recital at the McKenna residence Sunday, Dec. 1 at 3 p.m.

Those who participated were Brett Hode, Brittany Peterson, Wesley Craft, Adam Ladner, Alex Ladner, Jessica Pearce, Andrew Baldree;

Vianca Smith, Patrick Lee, Roxanne Fletcher, Alex Rotundo, Whitney Hamm, Garrett Garcia, Marjorie Harris, Tracy Sones;

Kelly Wilkerson, Jessica Sones, Katherine Pursley, Angela Baldree, Leanne Baldree and Kristie Pearce. Certificates of Performance were awarded.

Mrs. Ronnie Fletcher and Mrs. Woody Pearce assisted at a reception that followed.

Story Hour titles told

"Christmas" will again be the theme for Wednesday's children's story hour at the City-County Public Library in Bay St. Louis at 10:30 a.m.

Story Hour at the Waveland Library will not resume until Friday, Jan. 3 due to the Christmas Holidays.

The Christmas Wolf and Little Christmas Star are books to be read.

Children will see a film, "Twelve Night Before Christmas," and refreshments will be served.

This will be the last story hour at the City-County Public Library until Wednesday, Jan. 8.

Weekly story hours are held at the City-County Public Library and the Waveland Library from September through May. Programs last approximately one hour.

Further information is available by calling the City-County Library, 467-5282; or the Waveland Library, 467-9240.

Monday

Hamburger and Chips, Corn



Dog and Mustard, Macaroni and Cheese Casserole, Buttered Peas, Stack of Trimmings, Cake.

Tuesday
BBQ Chicken, Tuna Salad, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Lettuce, Tomato Wedge, Pickle, Pineapple Slices, Hot Roll.
Wednesday
Chicken Fingers, BBQ Rib Po-boy, Parslied Potatoes, Peas and Carrots, Stack of Trimmings, Fruited Jello with Topping, Hot Roll.
Thursday
Christmas Meal
Mrs. Claus Turkey, Shepherd Dressing, Wise Men Carrots, North Pole Fruit Cup, Rudolph's Cherry Cobbler, Angel Roll, Snowman's Milk.
Friday
Spaghetti and Meat Sauce, Chicken Fillet on Bun, Buttered Peas, Stack of Trimmings, Buttered Corn, Hot Roll, Ice Cream Sandwich.
Menu subject to change without notice. Milk served daily.

Pass Christian Public Schools

BREAKFAST

Monday
English Muffins, Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Juice.
Tuesday
Ham Biscuits, Juice.
Wednesday
Cheese Grits, Toast, Juice.
Thursday
Apple Cinnamon Muffins, Bacon, Juice.
Friday
Oatmeal Swirl, Toast, Juice.
LUNCH

Monday
Fried Chicken Strips, Parslied Potatoes, Garden Vegetables, Peanut Butter Bar.
Tuesday
Soup of the Day, Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Crackers.

Steamed Broccoli, Fresh Fruit.

Wednesday
Italian Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Fresh Garden Salad, Hot Garlic French Bread, Fruit Combination.
Thursday
Brunswick Stew and Crackers, Coleslaw, Steamed Broccoli, Apple Crisp.
Friday
Hot Dogs with Chili, Seasoned Fries, Steamed Carrots, Hurter's Pudding.
Menu subject to change. Milk served daily.

Bay Catholic Elementary

LUNCH

Monday
Hamburger on Bun, Sliced Cheese, Lettuce, Pickle, Onion Rings, Oranges.
Tuesday
Chef Salad, Ham and Cheese, Crackers, Pineapple.
Wednesday
Oven Baked Chicken, Rice and Gravy, Broccoli and Cheese, Peas, Bread, Milk.
Thursday
Roast Beef Po-boy, Lettuce, Pickle, French Fries, Trail Mix.
Friday
Fish Sticks, Cheese Spaghetti, Peas, Peaches, Bread.
Menu subject to change without notice. Milk served daily.

Saint Clare Elementary

LUNCH

Monday
Shepherd's Pie, Peas and Carrots, Mixed Fruit.
Tuesday
4th Grade Parents Day
Chicken Gumbo, Steamed Rice, Green Salad, Whole Kernel Corn, Crackers, Chocolate Cake.
Wednesday
Meat Loaf, Rice and Gravy, Succotash, Oven Baked Bread.
Thursday
Chicken Nuggets, Creamed Potatoes, Seasoned Green Beans.
Friday
Fish Sticks with Tartar Sauce, French Fries with Cat-sup, Buttered Broccoli.
Milk served daily.

Gulfview and C.B. Murphy Elementaries

BREAKFAST

Monday
Assorted Cereal, Grape Juice, Buttered Toast.
Tuesday
Blueberry Muffin, Apple Juice, Sliced Ham.
Wednesday
Scrambled Eggs, Grits and Butter, Sliced Peaches.
Thursday
Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwich, Orange Juice.
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Assorted Cereal, Apple Juice, Homemade Biscuits.

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Thursday
Red Beans with Rice, Smoked Sausage, Coleslaw, Fried Okra, Cornbread, Homemade Cookies.
Friday
Barbequed Wieners, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Jello with Cool Whip, Hot Rolls.
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LUNCH

Monday
Pizza, French Fries, Tossed Salad, Chilled Peaches.
Tuesday
Chicken Pattie with Gravy, Buttered Rice, Broccoli with Cheese, Hot Rolls, Birthday Cake.
Wednesday
Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Seasoned Green Beans, Applesauce, Coleslaw, Hot Rolls.
Thursday
Red Beans with Rice, Smoked Sausage, Coleslaw, Fried Okra, Cornbread, Homemade Cookies.
Friday
Barbequed Wieners, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Jello with Cool Whip, Hot Rolls.
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Tuesday
Ham and Cheese Sandwich, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Tater Tots, Birthday Cake, OR Baked Potato with Chili and Cheese, Tossed Salad, Birthday Cake, Crackers, Corn on Cob, OR Chicken Pattie with Gravy, Buttered Rice, Broccoli with Cheese, Hot Rolls, Birthday Cake.
Wednesday
Corn Dogs, Potato Triangles, Seasoned Green Beans, Applesauce, OR Barbequed Beef on Bun, Tater Tots, Seasoned Green Beans, Applesauce, OR Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Seasoned Green Beans, Applesauce, Coleslaw, Hot Rolls.
Thursday
Hamburger on Bun, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Fried Okra, Homemade Cookies, OR Roast Beef Po-boy with Gravy, Tater Triangles, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Fried Okra, Homemade Cookies, OR Red Beans with Rice, Smoked Sausage, Coleslaw, Fried Okra, Cornbread, Homemade Cookies.
Friday
Pizza, French Fries, Jello with Cool Whip, Tossed Salad, Tuna Fish on Bun, English Peas, Pickle Spears, Tater Triangles, Jello with Cool Whip, OR Barbequed Wieners, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Jello with Cool Whip, Hot Rolls.

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BIRTHS

DESTRY MARIE HARIEL

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, Shawn Hariel announce the birth of a daughter, Destry Marie, October 21, 1991 at Memorial Hospital in Gulfport.

She weighed 7 pounds 2 1/2 ounces.
Mrs. Hariel is the former Shelly Marie Dedeaux of Poplarville. Maternal grandparents are Vertis "Shorty" and Leona Dedeaux of Steep Hollow.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dedeaux of Silver Run and Raymond Alleman of Waveland.

Paternal grandparents are Mrs. Judith Lee of Poplarville and Joe Hariel of Crane Creek.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Vivian Shaw of Sellers and Mrs. Grace Hariel of Crane Creek.

MERCEDES ANN LAYLAND THOMAS

Cathy Layland and Travis Thomas of Waveland announce the birth of their first child, Mercedes Ann, October 18, 1991 at 3:44 a.m. at Gulfport Memorial Hospital.

She weighed 6 pounds, 13 1/2 ounces.
Maternal grandparents are Georgia Gardner of Waveland and Martin T. Layland II of Los Angeles, Calif.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Briley, Lawndale, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Martin T. Layland of Whittier, Calif.

Maternal great-great-grandmother is Mrs. Minnie Rushing of Lawndale, Calif.

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A DIFFERENT VIEW

By Traci Bonney

It's that time of year — blinking lights, decorations, drooling retailers, piles of paper (well, I meant credit card notices, but if you prefer wrapping paper...), the warmth of holiday spirit, the threat of "holiday hips"... and my birthday.

My 26th birthday, to be more precise. As a friend of mine, who is about two months older than me, puts it, we're "hitting the backside of 20."

Relax, I'm not about to go into one of those maudlin tear-

jerker (or more likely, columnist's-neck-wringer) soliloquies about how much I haven't done with my life so far.

In fact, I'm pretty content with where I am. My own place, a job I enjoy, a car that may one day be paid for, a budding writing career (sorry if you haven't read this feature regularly; the explanation would take too long), some reliable friends, plenty of activities, a few hobbies to consume what little spare time I have — and all at a pace with which I'm

comfortable.

Please don't get the idea life is perfect for me, though; it isn't — yet.

I'd like to be married, but no husband has shown up yet. In fact, I'd like to have been married by this time. Truth is, though, I haven't been ready for marriage up until now — and may not be now, for that matter. (Guys, this isn't a singles ad, either, so don't start looking for a P.O. Box to write to, okay?)

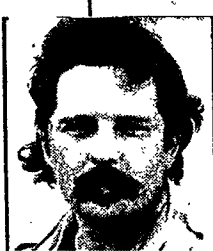
And now, a reaction to the

contents of this column from the man on the street: Traci, what possessed you to write this nonsense?

Beats me.

No, seriously — I guess the holidays tend to put people in a contemplative mood. This time of the year, you think about your accomplishments, your failures, your past, present and future, and all that other stuff.

Then again, I could just be desperate for a column topic.



CIRCLES OF CONFUSION

All about photography 'n stuff

By T.H. 'Doc' Toups

Fun with spy cameras

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Ciphers are a set of letters or numbers used to represent other letters or numbers, for the sake of secrecy. Spies love 'em and intelligence agencies around the world have spent millions of dollars on ultra-sophisticated computer programs to create ever more complex versions.

I couldn't operate a Fischer-Price computer if my life depended on it, so I had my four-year-old son sit in front of my typewriter and tap out the first sentence of this column. Not only did this save me millions of dollars, but it allowed my son Alexander to become one of America's relatively few published pre-school authors.

I thought it rather clever of him to tap out a message that looked like a cipher, but was really just a bunch of gobbledygook. It's important for spies to be subtle!

The typewriter he used came out of the factory around the time Eisenhower was president. In that era, Americans made great typewriters, the Japanese made terrible cameras, the spy camera was in its heyday, and the Russian alphabet was comprised of a bunch of really weird-looking letters. Much has changed in the intervening decades, but the Russian alphabet still looks very strange.

In the '90s American spies can simply watch CNN or read the Sea Coast Echo, Russian spies barter their cameras in bread lines; and the Japanese make excellent typewriters. All of these things represent the anxiously awaited "peace dividend" of the post cold war age.

Spy lore dictates that practitioners are supposed to order a

"Martini. Dry. Very dry." They're also supposed to wear tuxedos.

In a room full of tuxedoed, martini-sipping spies, I can just see myself standing there in blue jeans and ancient leather jacket, sipping a beer or the odd bourbon. They'd drag



me through the kitchen and throw me out the service entrance.

"What bloody cheek," some British Major-type would announce to mumbles of general agreement and decorum would prevail.

Of course, all good photographers know that the cutest waitresses take their breaks at the service entrance. There in the shadows, my operative would pass me a microcassette of film, whisper her apartment number and meeting instructions in French and disappear into the kitchen.

I don't speak French, so that is one liaison which would never take place, but I'd have my pictures and that is, after all, what a photographer is for...

You don't have to like martinis, or even wear tuxedos to appreciate spy cameras. Nor will you have to break the bank to afford one.

Those on a limited budget might consider one of the Minolta 16mm still cameras of the '60s. The cassettes are hard to find (though Minolta still sells them) and the cameras can be had for \$20-\$50, depending upon model.

The classic spy camera is the Minox. This is the little palm-sized precision jewel which usually shows up in the spy movies. A good user camera can be had for around \$150, though collectable variants can go much higher.

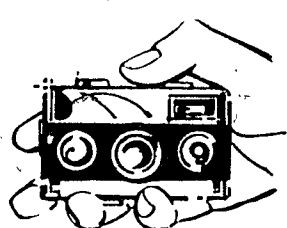
While the little Minox is big on glamour, its photo-taking ability is rather less than Hollywood would have us believe. Though it has adjustable shutter speeds, its fixed aperture 15mm, f/3.5 lens only produces a negative of 8x11mm. These fingernail size negatives are simply not up to producing high quality large prints.

The Minox and Minolta are only two of the hundreds of 'spy cameras' produced since the 19th century, but they are the easiest to find film for. A good professional camera store should be able to order fresh film for either of them. Special film stocks can be ordered through Micro Tec Industries of San Diego, CA (sorry, I don't have their address).

Readers who may be in possession of a Minox are invited to contact me at the Echo. I have factory serial number lists and may be able to accurately date your camera and provide other information, about the Minox or other subminiature cameras.

Those with a yen to try their hand at subminiature photography might find that it leads

to really neat fantasies. As you slip a little Minox into your shirt pocket, its suddenly not hard to imagine that your ten-year-old sedan is actually a Lotus Elan (with ejection seats) and that the quick trip to the bank is really an espionage mis-



sion against an international drug money cartel.

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Cute, brown & tan, short-haired, mixed-breed female dog needs good, loving home with a large, safe yard for running & playing and children and/or other dogs. DOESN'T GET ALONG WELL WITH CATS: Nine months old, 28 lbs., house-broken, spayed, has shots, playful & friendly.

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HOLIDAY

TO ALL OUR FRIENDS



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Take advantage of our holiday specials!
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100 Court Street at South Beach Blvd.
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You are invited to experience earthstones! crystal balls beautiful quartz crystal fantasy figurine unique jewelry & gifts cards, incense, books

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Jackie Gex has closed "The Family Tree" in Bay St. Louis and has reopened in Pass Christian as "Jackie's"

located at 118 Davis Ave. Jackie's will continue to be your place for infants' wear, gifts, monogramming & collectibles. Jackie invites you to join her in celebrating Christmas at her new location, and view the many lovely gifts for the holidays.

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TUESDAY Stuffed Bell Pepper w/Potato Salad Cream of Broccoli Soup Carrot Cake Light Cuisine - Spinach Stuffed Manicotti	FRIDAY Creole Jambalaya Cream of Leek Soup Spinach Quiche Light Cuisine - Chicken Roll Stuffed w/Spinach
WEDNESDAY Turkey Noodle Poppyseed Casserole Chicken Andouille Soup Ham & Havarti Quiche Light Cuisine - Chicken Breast w/Lemon & Capers	

910 Hwy. 90 Waveland

Call about Sueraine's Fabulous Holiday Catering!

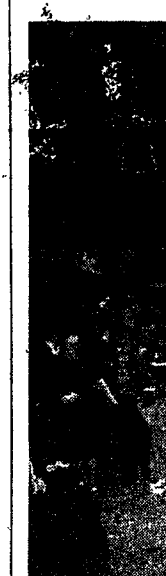
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